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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: the Application of: MATSUZAKI, Koichi, et al.

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Examiner: Gary B. NICKOL

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For. **ANTIBODIES SPECIFIC FOR PHOSPHORYLATION SITES AND SCREENING METHODS USING THE SAME ANTIBODIES**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: October 31, 2006

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated September 6, 2006 for one month, from October 6, 2006 to November 6, 2006.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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